

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**IN RE APPLICATION OF: Pearson et al.**      **Our File: 132-33 US**  
**Serial No: 09/986,479**      **Group: 2883**  
**Filed: 11/08/01**      **Examiner: JERRY BLEVINS**  
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**May 16, 2007**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 26, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.